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TO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TPHY, BE, XV

SUBJECT: ANTARCTIC SERVICE MEDALS

REF: BRUSSELS 9166 AND 8939; STATE 254940

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1. THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION HAS LOCATED AND THE DEPARTMENT WILL SHORTLY AIRPOUCH TO EMBASSY TWENTY-TWO ANTARCTIC MEDALS AND ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATES TO ENABLE PRESENTATION BY EMBASSY TO ALL BELGIAN NATIONALS WHO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN U.S. SPONSORED ACTIVITY IN ANTARCTICA. DEPARTMENT HAS RECONFIRMED THAT ALL FOUR OF THOSE ORIGINALLY PROPOSED HAVE VISITED ANTARCTICA UNDER U.S. AUSPICES.

2. THE BATCH OF MEDALS BEING DESPATCHED ARE MORE DECORATIVELY PACKAGED THAN THE ORIGINAL FOUR MEDALS SENT WITH A-2700 BUT DO NOT INCLUDE THE CAMPAIGN RIBBON. WHICHEVER MEDALS THE EMBASSY DOES NOT PRESENT SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE DEPARTMENT MARKED FOR THE POLAR AFFAIRS OFFICER, OES/SCI/BMP. INGERSOLL

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